



NEW MEXICO STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

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**RESOLUTION NO. 2026-05 Authorizing a demand and civil action to enforce
the Campaign Reporting Act.**

WHEREAS, THE NEW MEXICO STATE ETHICS COMMISSION
("Commission") met virtually on April 17, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.;

WHEREAS, the Commission has the power to investigate violations and bring a
civil action to enforce the Campaign Reporting Act.

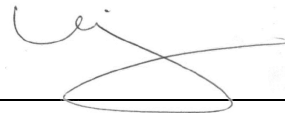
WHEREAS, the Commission has reason to believe that the Republican Party of
San Juan County political committee exceeded the anonymous contribution limits
set by NMSA 1978, Section 1-19-34(B) (2019) and has failed to donate excess
contributions pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 1-19- 34(D) (2019) of the
Campaign Reporting Act.

WHEREAS, the Executive Director has sought the approval of the Commission to
initiate a civil action under NMSA 1978, Sections, 1-19-34.6(B), (C) (2021) and
10-16G-9(F) (2021) to remedy violations the Campaign Reporting Act, and has
explained the proposed civil action and remedies to be sought;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the New Mexico State Ethics
Commission:

1. The Commission's staff are authorized to demand that Republican Party of San Juan County comply with the Campaign Reporting Act, to engage in settlement negotiations and mediation, to prepare and file civil action in a court of competent jurisdiction seeking to enforce the civil compliance provisions of the Campaign Reporting Act and any other relief that the court deems just and proper.
2. The Executive Director is instructed to provide regular updates on the status of the matter at the Commission's meetings during closed session. Commission staff shall communicate with the Chair as necessary between Commission meetings.
3. The Executive Director is authorized to enter an agreement to settle or dismiss claims brought against the Republican Party of San Juan County upon having conferred with the Chair or his designee.

Adopted by the New Mexico State Ethics Commission this 17th day of April 2026.



The Hon. William F. Lang
New Mexico State Ethics Commission
Chair